

March 15, 1999

Utah Coal Regulatory Program Division of Oil, Gas and Mining 1594 North Temple, Suite 1210 Box 145801 Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

Attention:

Daron Haddock

Permit Supervisor

Re:

Volume 11 - North Rilda Area, PacifiCorp, Deer Creek Mine, ACT/015/018, Emery

County, Utah

PacifiCorp, by and through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Energy West Mining Company ("Energy West") as mine operator, herewith submits seven clean copies of the Deer Creek MRP - Volume 11: Hydrologic Section R645-301-700: text section as requested in your letter dated January 4, 1999. Hydrologic Section, R645-301-700, was revised on December 4, 1998 in response to concerns raised during the Federal Coal Lease U-06039 lease modification review. Modification of Federal Coal Lease U-06039 was approved by the Bureau of Land Management on February 11, 1999. Please stamp all clean copies so they can be incorporated into the Deer Creek Mine MRP.

Enclosed is seven clean copies of the following information:

R645-301-700 HYDROLOGY

≈ Replace entire text section

In addition to text submittal, the following figures and maps have been revised to include the Federal Coal Lease modification (U-06039, 50 acres) and information requested in the January 4, 1999 letter:

Map

2-18B (Drawing #CM-10588-DR)

- Revised Deer Creek Lease Boundary

- Updated with 1998 Raptor Survey Results

Drawing #DU1688E

- Revised Deer Creek Lease Boundary

HM-9 (Drawing #CE-10901-EM)

- Revised Deer Creek Lease Boundary

- Updated to include monitoring point

upstream of RCF-1

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HM-10 (Drawing #DS-1633D)

- Revised Deer Creek Lease Boundary
- Updated to include monitoring point upstream of RCF-1

If there are any questions or concerns please call Chuck Semborski at 687-4720 or Bob Willey 687-4722.

Sincerely,

Charles A. Semborski

Geology and Environmental Supervisor enclosures:

cc:

Blake Webster (without enclosures)

Carl Pollastro (without enclosures) Chuck Semborski (without enclosures)

Barbara Adams (Fil)

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT PROCESSING										
Permit Ch	ange X	New Permit □	Renewal □	Transfer □	Exploration	Bond Release □	Permit Number: ACT/015/018			
Title of Proposal: Amendment, PacifiCorp, Deer Creek Mine, ACT/015/018, Emery County, Mine: DEER CREEK										
Utah, Revisions to Volume 11: North Rilda Area, Hydrologic Section						Permittee: PACIFICORP				
Description, include reason for application and timing required to implement: Revisions to Volume 11: North Rilda Area, Hydrologic Section										
Instructions: If you answer yes to any of the first 8 questions (gray), submit the application to the Salt Lake Office. Otherwise, you may submit it to your reclamation specialist.										
X Yes	□ No		he size of the P		50 acres D		acres X increase □ decrease.			
□ Yes	X No	2. Is the application submitted as a result of a Division Order? DO #								
□ Yes	X No	3. Does application include operations outside a previously identified Cumulative Hydrologic Impact Area?								
□ Yes	X No	4. Does application include operations in hydrologic basins other than as currently approved?								
□ Yes	X No	5. Does application result from cancellation, reduction or increase of insurance or reclamation bond?								
□ Yes	X No	6. Does the ap	6. Does the application require or include public notice/publication?							
□ Yes	X No	7. Does the application require or include ownership, control, right-of-entry, or compliance information?								
□ Yes	X No	8. Is proposed activity within 100 feet of a public road or cemetery or 300 feet of an occupied dwelling?								
□ Yes	X No	9. Is the application submitted as a result of a Violation? NOV #								
□ Yes	X No	10. Is the application submitted as a result of other laws or regulations or policies? Explain:								
□ Yes	X No	11. Does the application affect the surface landowner or change the post mining land use?								
□ Yes	X No	12. Does the application require or include underground design or mine sequence and timing? (Modification of R2P2?)								
□ Yes	X No	13. Does the application require or include collection and reporting of any baseline information?								
□ Yes	X No	14. Could the application have any effect on wildlife or vegetation outside the current disturbed area?								
□ Yes	X No	15. Does application require or include soil removal, storage or placement?								
□ Yes	X No	16. Does the application require or include vegetation monitoring, removal or revegetation activities?								
□ Yes	X No	17. Does the application require or include construction, modification, or removal of surface facilities?								
X Yes	□ No	18. Does the application require or include water monitoring, sediment or drainage control measures?								
X Yes	□ No	19. Does the application require or include certified designs, maps, or calculations?								
□ Yes	X No	20. Does the application require or include subsidence control or monitoring?								
X Yes	□ No	21. Have reclamation costs for bonding been provided for?								
□ Yes	X No	22. Does application involve a perennial stream, a stream buffer zone or discharges to a stream?								
□ Yes	X No	23. Does the application affect permits issued by other agencies or permits issued to other entities?								
X Attach 7 complete copies of the application.										
I hereby certify that I am a responsible official of the applicant and that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my information and belief in all respects with the laws of Utah in reference to commitments,										

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Charles

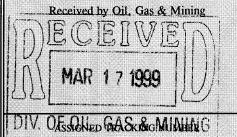
Charles A. Semborski - Geology/Permitting Supervise 3/15/99
Signed - Name - Position - Date

day of March , 19 9 9 NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:
Attest: STATE OF
COUNTY OF



BARBARA J. ADAMS
15 North Main
Huntington, Utah 84528
My Commission Expires
October 13, 2000
STATE OF UTAH



Specification for Permit ProcessingDetailed Schedule of Changes to the MRP

Title of Application:

Amendment, PacifiCorp, Deer Creek Mine, ACT/015/018, Emery County, Utah Revisions to Volume 11: North Rilda Area, Hydrologic Section

Permit Number: ACT/015/018

Mine: DEER CREEK

Permittee: PACIFICORP

Provide a detailed listing of all changes to the mining and reclamation plan which will be required as a result of this proposed permit application. Individually list all maps and drawings which are to be added, replaced, or removed from the plan. Include changes of the table of contents, section of the plan, pages, or other information as needed to specifically locate, identify and revise the existing mining and reclamation plan. Include page, section and drawing numbers as part of the description.

	100		DESCRIPTION OF MAP, TEXT, OR MATERIALS TO BE CHANGED
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Any other specific or special instructions required for insertion of this proposal into the Mining and Reclamation Plan?

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